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AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 11, 2001, please enter the following remarks, and reconsider the above identified application:

Remarks

Claims 1-7 are pending in the application, claims 1-7 have been rejected.